

Local Cattle Place Well at Chicago Stock Show

Henderson's Farm Stock Win Awards At Show

Yearling Angus Bull Sold for \$700 And Good Prices Obtained For Steers

Alberden Angus cattle from the stock farm of Thomas and Sam Henderson, east of Lacombe, won high awards at the Chicago International Stock Show, held recently. In the strongest class of steers shown at this, one of the largest stock shows in the world, steers from Henderson's farm took third, fourth and eighth places. It took the reserve grand champion steers of the entire show to beat out the cattle raised and bred locally. In the "best group of three steers" class, the local livestock placed second in a large field which saw cattle from all points of North America entered. These three steers were sold to the Armour Packing Company at 15 cents, 14 cents and 14 cents per pound.

The yearling Angus bull entered by the local stockman sold for \$700. There were 33 bulls in the sale, and only four bulls sold for more money than that entered by the Hendersons.

An Sam told the Globe, "you can figure that our cattle stand with the best in the United States and they are just the kind of cattle the buyers are looking for."

The stock from Henderson's farm sent to the Toronto Royal Fair were turned down in Toronto for being "over-finished" and so were not placed. "Sam" informs the Globe that in his opinion as well as the opinion of good judges, if the local stock had been placed, they would have been in the running for champion of the show.

"Sam" exclaimed, "It looks like a joke to me that we Albertans can 'over-finish' our cattle for Canadian trade."

Local Hockey Team To Play Red Deer, Camrose Out of Town

The report of the hockey game between Wetaskiwin and Lacombe here Saturday night appears on Page Five of this issue.

The Lacombe hockey team travels to Red Deer tonight (Friday) to battle the Red Deer sextette in a Central Alberta Hockey League fixture. The local boys have been going through stiff practice under the careful supervision of Player-Coach Len Tomalty, and are all raring to go. It was mainly lack of practice due to lack of ice that beat the boys in their last game against Wetaskiwin, and the boys are rapidly rectifying the deficiency. The Red Deer outfit have been strengthened considerably since absorbing an 8-0 drubbing from Wetaskiwin, and are now out to avenge that licking. It should be a good game, with fast ice in prospect.

Saturday night the boys take another hop to Camrose, where they meet the Camrose Canadians for the first tussle with this team this year.

Social Afternoon Sponsored By St. Andrew's Guild

About seventy members of the congregation attended the social afternoon sponsored by the four groups of St. Andrew's Guild on Tuesday afternoon in the Church Hall. Leaders of the four groups received the guests, and the president of the group, R. L. Ramsay, and the pastor's wife, Mrs. A. L. Carr, poured tea. Several Christmas carols were sung, with Mrs. S. T. Halton presiding at the piano. This was followed by a reading of O. Henry's "The Gift of the Magi," by Mrs. A. Cottrell; a solo by Mrs. T. Wilkes, "O Manger Bed;" and Miss Margaret Finlayson played several piano selections during the serving of refreshments, which were served cafeteria style on a long table made beautifully attractive with Christmas decorations.

The minister's shirt, which had been circulating throughout the groups during the summer and fall, collecting a multitude of coins which had been patched on to it was "dissected," and the dry sum of \$27.70 revealed to augment the funds.

This Week's Thought

Nothing is impossible to a willing heart.

Constable C. Mosier Recovers Stolen Car

A thrilling eight-mile chase ended about 4:30 a.m. Saturday when Constable Cecil Mosier of the local police force apprehended five alleged thieves on the Bentley-Lacombe highway south of Gull Lake. The alleged thieves, ranging in age from 17 to 21, are charged with breaking and entering the service station operated by Herb Pooock and stealing ten gallons of gasoline. The car in which they rode was stolen in Calgary and is owned by J. Hedemerk, a provincial bridge inspector.

Constable Mosier, while on his rounds, saw men at the filling station east of the tracks. He ran forward to investigate, but the thieves piled into the car and drove towards him, almost running him down as he accosted the driver. The constable immediately contacted H. D. Laird of Laird Motors, and was soon racing westward in a car driven by Frank Johnson, the night man at Laird Motors. The police officer came up to the alleged thieves around the curves at the south end of the lake and footed the horn in an endeavor to stop the escaping men. Two shots were fired over the top of the fugitive car, and when these proved ineffective, Constable Mosier put two bullets through the back of the car at the gasoline tank.

Men Are Searched The fleeing men pulled up, were searched on the spot by Constable Mosier and Mr. Johnson and received a bullet through the back of the head. The ages of the youths ranged from 17 to 21 years. Three of them claimed Calgary as their home town and two of them reported they hailed from Regina.

The five men appeared before Magistrate G. O. B. Gore-Hickman Saturday afternoon and received a remand for eight days. They were accompanied to the Edmonton R.C.M.C. guard room by Constable Mosier and R.C.M.P. officers Muir and Matheson of the Red Deer detachment. They will appear for trial in the local police court on Monday, Dec. 17. The intelligence and resource shown by Constable Cecil Mosier in the recovery of this stolen car is to be commended, as well as the assistance he received so willingly from Laird Motors and the nightman there, Frank Johnson.

Forged Cheques Being Circulated

Forgers are working up and down the Calgary and Edmonton line these days passing checks drawn on the Lacombe branch of the Bank of Montreal. The sums of these checks are all over \$25.00 and are marked "truck account." A regular cheque marker has been used to denote the sum on the cheques, which resemble pass cheques. Merchants are warned to watch for these cheques, and if one should turn up, notify Constable Cecil Mosier immediately. Warrants have been issued for the cheque passers' arrests.

T.N.T.'s Battle Red Deer Here Tonight (Thurs.)

An interesting hockey battle is promised tonight (Thursday) at 8:15, when the local T.N.T. hockey team swings into action against the Red Deer Juniors. The draw for the ice service will be made during the game. In appreciation of the unstinted support given the club by the citizens of Lacombe, the team is offering to hold this opening tilt free of charge.

Christmas Hampers to be Distributed to Needy

A large sum of money will be expended, and public contributions are being requested. No canvass of the town will be made, however, and no personal solicitation of the needy. (An organization of needy men, women or individual wishing to aid the needy and help towards the provisions of Christmas hampers are respectfully requested to leave their contributions at the Town Office or at the Lacombe Globe. Donations will be acknowledged in the columns of this newspaper. Who will help Santa?

Organized Opposition to Socreds Discussed Friday

Liberals, Conservatives and United Farmers Attend Meeting to Decide On "United Front" for Next Election

Formation of an association to present a united front at the next provincial election against the Social Credit party in this constituency was definitely decided on at a meeting of electors of this riding held in the Church Hall Friday afternoon. Whether this association will affiliate with the United Council of Alberta is a matter that will be decided upon in the future. Discussion regarding this affiliation took place at length throughout the meeting, and the matter was finally left to be decided at a larger meeting to be held in the future. Representatives from all points in the constituency were appointed to a committee, the duty of which will be to set a date for the next meeting, and to see that the meeting receives publicity.

Curling Club Selects Skips to Head Rinks For Coming Season

An enthusiastic executive meeting of the local curling club was held Monday night at the curling rink, when 18 players were selected to head rinks this coming season. It is expected that ice will be ready within two or three days after colder weather sets in. Albrecht Carstner, I. O. Irish has whitened the ice and a few days of colder weather is all that is necessary to finish the work. The curling season will open with President versus Vice-President bonspiel, with two draws, one at 7 and one at 9, the games to be ten-ends. The opening bonspiel will be followed by a bean supper in the rink put on by the executive, it was decided. The date for this bonspiel will be decided by weather conditions.

An open bonspiel was also decided upon and the dates set for January 12 and 13. Immediately after the New Year, a mixed bonspiel will be held, and the ladies are asked to get busy and organize.

The skips selected to head rinks this year are: J. S. Fraser, E. A. Bowering, R. Pratt, L. P. Winter, I. O. Irish, H. Teare, D. Hay, C. E. Todd, F. Lorimer, F. J. Siewart, T. Wilkes, H. Landon, D. MacDonald, J. S. McCormick, M. G. Cruickshank, T. E. Woods, J. Hampton and E. H. McCaugherty. These skips are asked to contact their rinks and report any vacancies to the secretary, E. A. Bowering.

Choir to Present Cantata Next Sunday Night

"The Wondrous Light," a cantata by M. Stults, will be presented by St. Andrew's United Church Choir on Sunday evening in the church, under the direction of Mr. W. A. T.C.M. organist and choir leader.

This Christmas cantata has been performed in the last two years by St. Luke's Anglican choir of Red Deer and the Olds United Church Choir. The Hammond electric organ will be used throughout for accompaniment.

The cantata is comprised of two parts—Part I, "The Shepherds," and Part II, "The Magi." Solos, duets and quartets will be given throughout the cantata as follows:

Part I—Solos by T. Wilkes, Miss Margaret Watt, R. Rhind and Mrs. T. Wilkes.

Part II—Duet, Miss Margaret Watt and James Shaw.

Part III—Double duet, Misses Margaret Watt, Miss Frances Hall, Miss Betty Wilkes and Miss Betty DeLong.

Part IV—Quartet, Mrs. N. C. McLaren, Mrs. H. Wilson, T. Wilkes and C. Todd.

Part V—Men's Quartet, James Shaw, T. Wilkes, R. Rhind and Don Wilkes.

Part VI—Quintet, Mrs. E. Bowering, Miss Margaret Watt, Clark, Mrs. T. Lett, James Shaw and Don Wilkes.

Those appointed to this committee are as follows: H. J. Ford of Lacombe, convenor; Bentley, R. E. Chown and C. F. Dameron; Blackfalds, O. W. Hupepelheuser; Clive, J. Mackie; Alx, Roy Reynolds; Mirror, Jim Russell; Lockhart, A. B. Haastad; Tees, R. Pethybridge; Haynes, James Russell; Gilbey, S. Sandhryde; J. S. Ellis; Jingley, George Stewart.

Want State Administration Through the entire meeting, the ideal of supporting a genuine, non-partisan administration, to operate without partisanship or prejudice, was expressed. Pleas for unity were made by all those who rose to express their views. Dr. E. M. Sharpe, who acted as chairman of the meeting, spoke of the non-political governments of the old North-West Territories and expressed the hope for such a government in Alberta in the future.

Irene Parly, former U.F.A. member for this constituency in the Provincial Legislature, referred to the present political situation in Alberta as a "national emergency," and asked that only one party oppose the Social Credit member in this riding. A statement from C. F. Dameron, a business man, was read, and a non-partisan candidate in this riding, was received with enthusiasm.

Applause greeted a declaration from J. S. McCormick that this riding should be able to "run its own show" without any aid from the outside.

Platform Is Discussed The question of a possible platform for the association was discussed and opinions of the members were received. One man believed that only one plank, promising an "honest, economical and efficient government," was all that was necessary. A suggestion that a second plank of "anti-Aberhart" should be added to the platform was greeted with applause and enthusiasm.

Dr. E. M. Sharpe, Liberal member for this constituency, endorsed the "united action" front in this riding and pledged his support. Dr. E. M. Sharpe declared that "old line parties mean old prejudices," and added that this was just the thing that the meeting wanted to get away from.

Fear that the Unity League of Alberta would mean another political party in this province was expressed by some who felt that neither "politics" nor "party" should enter into the formation of the association.

J. S. McCormick was elected secretary for the meeting. Mayor T. Wilkes extended a welcome to visitors on behalf of the town. An order of business committee consisting of T. Wilkes, J. Darrell and W. Somerville was elected, and Mrs. Irene Parly, O. W. Hupepelheuser and R. E. Chown were appointed to act as resolutions committee.

FAREWELL PARTY AT IOWA

A farewell party was held for Mrs. F. H. Taylor on Thursday evening at her home in the Iowa Hotel. Prior to her departure for Kansas, forty of her friends paid her a surprise visit. At the close of an evening of cards and games Mrs. Taylor was presented with a travelling case. She will be away for about six months.

HOME-GROWN POPCORN SERVED TO FRIENDS

Fred Butcher of the Fairview district recently invited his friends to a little affair in honor of his cousin, "Ned," of Lougheville. The affair was a success, and "Fred" supplied them all with a good feed of his home-grown popcorn. All voted an enjoyable time and the popcorn first-class.

Santa Claus Makes Merry



Receiving a steady stream of callers all day, Santa Claus, with some of his guests, is seen in the above picture at his headquarters, Lacombe, last Saturday.

Happy and Smiling Faces Greet Santa last Saturday

Kiddies Thrilled With Santa's Reply Letters and Gifts Handed to Them; Will Be at Home Again Next Saturday

Last Saturday Santa Claus and his two Brownies had a real busy time handing out his replies to letters he received, accompanied by a parcel which contained a suitable toy as a surprise for each child writing to him. Of course Santa explained in his letter that he would be heavily loaded on Christmas Day, when he calls to fill their stockings, and perforce had to pass out his gifts, which each recipient was requested to hold until Christmas Eve. It was a joy for him to hear the various expressions on the kiddies when handed their letters and gifts by Santa. The excitement ran high. He will be at his headquarters again next Saturday and every day next week, from Monday to Saturday inclusive. Santa informs the Globe that a large number of letters are being received by him through the Lacombe Post Office, which will be answered by him, but it WILL BE NECESSARY for each child to call at his headquarters for their replies and gifts, as these WILL NOT be mailed out. He asks that the children who have written him please call for their replies quickly, as his mail boxes are getting overloaded.

Santa will continue to answer all letters written him and each child doing so will receive a gift parcel as well. He says he will draw the line, though, on duplicating any replies to those who have already written him.

Santa Claus informs the Globe that the following letters and parcels have not been called for at his Headquarters, and asks that these children call for them. They are:

- LACOMBE: Marjorie and Muriel Bauer, Myrtle Brevin, Jean Crowe, Fred Albert Cox, Vernon Collins, Ina Crown, Madeline Collins, Billy Clark, R. B. Alan Chisholm, Evelyn Croon, Baby (Continued On Page Three)

School Hockey Gets Under Way

Hockey players at the local school have been practicing steadily to get in shape for their various schedules. In the High School proper four teams have been formed, divided into two different classes of two teams each. No schedule has as yet been drawn up for these teams.

Games already have been played in the Intermediate School Hockey Schedule, with the "Ice Burners" under the captaincy of Lewis Minkler, dominating the "Anti-Aircrafts," headed by J. Avery, 5-3, in the first game, and playing a 2-2 draw in the second meeting of the year.

The "Dynamiters," headed by Les Petry, and the "Snowballs," captained by Harry Linkins, have played no schedule games to date.

common dining room. The number of students is limited to about 100 boys and 50 girls.

Any of the above committees, or the general committee of C. Todd, R. Lawrence and Mayor T. Wilkes, will gladly furnish information regarding the school, or you can write to the secretary and full information will be mailed to you.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1938

A Needed Convenience

THE need of a public rest room in Lacombe for the convenience of out-of-town women shoppers was brought to the public eye last week by a discussion which took place among members of the local Women's Institute. Several representations, it is reported, have been made to the Women's Institute from rural ladies' organizations asking that such a rest room be established. Last week the matter was also brought up and discussed by members of the Board of Trade at their quarterly meeting, and a committee was appointed to confer with the councils of the Town of Lacombe and the Municipal District of Crown on this question.

The Globe feels that the Women's Institute of Lacombe has rendered a real public service by bringing this matter to the attention of the merchants and business men of this town. By possibly no other means could Lacombe extend a more cordial welcome to shoppers than by establishing a rest room for the convenience of the ladies.

The rest room should be just that. It should be more than a mere lavatory—it should provide chairs and seating accommodation for lady shoppers from the country; it should be placed in as convenient and central a spot as possible and it should be made as comfortable as circumstances will permit.

Yes, it will cost money. But the Globe feels that it will be money well spent; money that will return to the Town of Lacombe a hundredfold during the years to come. It is a good deal with country shoppers in the accommodation which it will provide and the services it will render.

Who will pay for this project is a matter to be discussed and decided upon. But whether it comes from the merchants and business men themselves or from the Town of Lacombe, it is a project which should be carried through to completion.

Christmas Seals Help

THIS is the time of the year when most likely you are included in the number of people who have received a letter, containing a number of Christmas seals and an appeal in the name of charity that has a very special claim on your sympathy.

It is an appeal for the unceasing work done towards the prevention and treatment of tuberculosis, with which the Edmonton Kiwanis Club has especially associated itself in northern Alberta for the past number of years. The sponsors of this appeal can make truthful and still wonderful and inspiring claims for the beneficencies accomplished by the sale of these little white seals, which you can see on your Christmas letters and parcels, to remind your friends as you remind yourself, that this also bespeaks the good-will of Christmaside.

Thousands of dollars have been collected in this manner across Canada, and have been devoted to this useful cause, by which the thing, which was once the great white plague of our civilization, has been increasingly brought under the subjection of a hopeful crusade.

Christmas Seal purchases last year provided services to 100,000 Canadians—one in every hundred of our population. And this a little reminder to you, that you should give what you can.

Headquarters of the Christmas Seal Sale are located at Heintzman Hall, 10139 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton.

Anti-Semitism in Europe

(From the London Spectator)

THE Jews in Central Europe have ceased to be human beings; they are driven like cattle from country to country and left to starve in no-man's-land between frontiers which have become their only resting-place. The latest in the appalling series of crimes which have been committed against the Jews is the expulsion, at a moment's notice, of thousands of Polish Jews from Germany last week.

This action was taken because it was thought that they were going to be deprived of Polish citizenship by the Polish government and would become a liability on Germany; it provoked a threat of retaliation against Germans in Poland, which put an end to the expulsions, but not before 6,000 Jews had been driven destitute into Poland and 4,000 left homeless and starving between the frontiers.

The most significant factor in the whole situation is the cynical contempt shown for human, as distinguished from political rights. Loss or cancellation of a passport turns human beings into homeless animals whom no man need respect, without any protection against the most brutal treatment.

Through the Eyes of a Country Woman

By BRIDGET

There is a certain type of person who is called an opportunist, and this type is rather scorned by the "man in the street." But has it ever struck you that a large percentage of the people who have altered the trend of history have been opportunists? Do you think that Hitler or Mussolini would have ever achieved their present position if the Italian and German people hadn't been in a pretty desperate plight, and there was an opening for a leader; and these two men merely grabbed the opportunity?

The Russian Monarchy would not have fallen at the time that it did, had it not been for that vile creature called Rasputin. He used the sickly heir to the Russian throne as a stepping stone in his plan to dominate the Czar, and get control of the largest country in the Old World. One might continue to give instances of opportunists all through the pages of history back to Pontius Pilate, although he had no personal feelings against Christ, felt he might seize the opportunity to please and become popular with those who were shouting for the blood of our Lord. Strange as it may seem, these thoughts passed through my mind after reading an article in which the writer especially bemoaned the female population for expressing intense sympathy for the Chinese, without giving a thought to the overcrowded Japanese people, living on islands swept by typhoon, and ravaged by earthquake.

Now, let us get this straight first; women might at the first flush say, I think with justification, that the Japanese brought it on themselves; but it is equally true to say that women all over the world are quite cognizant of and sympathetic to the sufferings of the women on both sides of a conflict with which they are not actively concerned.

Now let us return to the subject of opportunists; the fact is, Japan, an opportunist of the worst type, started the present war and brought about the suffering for Chinese and Japanese alike. Our sympathies, of course, must be with the oppressed nation, which had committed no sin, except that of being the possessor of much land. In 1927 I had the opportunity of discussing this question of Japanese overcrowding with a man who grew up in China and came to Japan to England. He told of the impossible situation of the Japanese. The islands on which they live are subject to violent typhoons and fatal earthquakes. It is due to these natural phenomena that the structure of the majority of Japanese houses is flimsy and easily replaceable. Most of the land is not suitable for agriculture, and it has only been through great sacrifice that some of this land has been made arable. In the main the Japanese have to live very sparingly and poorly, a standard no Canadian would countenance. The birthrate in Japan is also a factor in Japanese overcrowding, being one of the highest in the world. The rulers of Japan were far-sighted enough to see that they would have to take some drastic action, in order that their people might live. Manchuria was near and easy to annex, so it was taken, but it did not entirely fill the bill. Japan thereupon began to look around for further suitable land.

China has been going through a transition period. Chiang-Kai-Shek and his wife were trying to consolidate China, trying to make a nation out of the far-flung people of this immense country. They were trying to teach, and to mould these people into something worthwhile; to try and bring back to China the greatness that was hers. To endeavor to put down those thousands of roving bandits, under their respective "war lords," who were terrorizing the whole countryside, and were virtually all the government the people knew in the far interior. The magnitude of this vast undertaking in its initial stages can hardly be envisioned by the Western mind. At this juncture, Japan saw her opportunity and grabbed it, seizing on the merest excuse, to invade and "discipline" the Chinese, whom she has gone on disciplining in an undeclared war, in the effort to gain more territory for the great Japanese Empire. China was only just beginning to organize her services, and was still torn by internal strife and hampered by the lack of easy internal communication, and so was an easy prey to the opportunist, Japan.

Of course, not all opportunists are bad, but it too often happens that it is the gangster, the ambitious politician, the greedy nation who wait and seize the opportunity to better themselves at someone else's expense. Have we not seen this in our own Province, where hard times have been the order of the day, and the people have listened to opportunists with quick prescriptions for "cure-all" remedies?

Opportunism, turned into the right path, can be a most excellent thing, and can play a large part in the building of a nation, or of an individual, for

"There is a tide in the affairs of men
Which, taken at the flood, leads on to
fortune."

What They Are Saying...

"A nation's morals are like its teeth. The more decayed they are, the more it hurts to touch them."—George Bernard Shaw.

"He who would get up early with sun should not stay up late with daughter."—Charlie McCarthy.

"I think the idea of a Monday holiday for Victoria Day a good one. As for the King's birthday, we observe that six months ahead of time anyway, so a variation of two or three days should not matter. Dominion Day might be a little more difficult to deal with, but I think it could be done."—Mrs. W. G. Lumbers, National President, Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire.

"The world is the crossroads; the choice is guidance or guns."—Frank Buchman.

Campaign Launched To Extend Alberta Boundaries

By T. R. WINDROSS

EDMONTON.—Premier Aberhart launched on Saturday a campaign to extend the boundaries of Alberta to the Arctic ocean, to make the province twice as large as it is now from north to south, by taking in a chunk of the Northwest Territories.

There was nothing to indicate that he is serious about it; he admitted that he had not mentioned the project to Ottawa. But he said the idea would be to get revenue from mining and fur production in the vast territory.

Various political leaders have suggested the same plan in the past, but each one dropped it after a little consideration. The province's area, without any appreciable taxable population in the new half, would increase greatly the tax burden on present Alberta taxpayers even for administration, and if any development were undertaken in the way of roads, radio or phone lines, the cost would be huge and would have to be borne almost entirely by the already overtaxed present citizens of Alberta.

From the whole Northwest Territories the Federal Government, in the most recent year for which figures are available, collected only \$154,000 from game and fur revenue.

The Government's "treasury branches," otherwise known as "credit houses," still are operating but without much public interest in spite of feverish promotional efforts. Just as the civil servants were brought into the script picture two years ago and asked to accept it as part salaries when the script experiment was on its last legs, so the civil servants are being brought into the "treasury branch" scene now.

The Civil Service Association, meeting in its annual convention on Saturday, was shocked when it got the "suggestion" from the cabinet that Government employees should accept 50 per cent of their salaries in the form of "transfer vouchers," which would force them to deal with treasury branches. Hon. E. C. Manning.

when asked whether cabinet ministers intended to take half of their salaries in the form of vouchers, said that he could make no comment.

Ottawa still was wondering as this week opened just what Premier William Aberhart of Alberta had wanted there two weeks ago and just what the real purpose of his eastern trip was, if there was anything more to it than a move to satisfy the Social Credit caucus at home.

Federal Government officials said little about the Alberta Premier's visit, but a dispatch from Toronto, where Aberhart last visited on his way to see his family at Seaford, Ont., shed a little light on things.

That dispatch showed definitely that Aberhart made no specific proposal whatever to Federal authorities. Finance department officials in Ottawa were completely mystified as to what he did want, and the Alberta Premier did not enlighten them. He asked for nothing; he advanced no proposals to them for the good of his province. He did not suggest any definite plan of refunding, which he seemed to announce at the legislative buildings was to be the purpose of the trip.

On his return to Edmonton late last week Mr. Aberhart was not at all communicative about any triumph he may have enjoyed or attempted. He merely said that his trip had been satisfactory.

Australia Seeks U.S. Trade Pact

SYDNEY, Australia.—Australia

is planning to put out official "feelers" soon for a trade agreement with the United States, to meet in line with the United Kingdom and Canada.

It was announced that Stanley M. Bruce, Australian High Commissioner in London, would leave for home Dec. 10, traveling by way of Washington, where it is expected he will talk over trade treaty possibilities.

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NEXT WEEK
At Clive — Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 8:30 p.m.
At Alis — Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 8:30 p.m.
At Bentley — Thursday, Dec. 22, at 8:30 p.m.

Sharp's Circuit Shows

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gibson of Gull Lake Celebrate Silver Wedding Anniversary

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gibson of the Gull Lake district celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Saturday evening, Dec. 10. Their home was the scene of a gay merry-making group of friends, who gathered to do honor to the well known couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson were presented with a silver tea service and tray by a group who gathered at the dinner table. Among other presents was a beautiful silver tray from Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Edmonton. The guests at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Young, Mrs. W. P. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Swanson and family, W. Swanson, Mrs. W. J. Burris and Mr. and Mrs. H. Woody.

Later in the evening, close to one hundred friends from far and

near gathered to surprise the happy couple. Mrs. H. Woody arranged an impromptu program and R. E. Chown acted as chairman.

Following the short program, consisting of recitations, songs and instrumental numbers, Mr. Chown, on behalf of friends in Gull Lake, Spruceville and Bentley, presented Mr. and Mrs. Gibson with a case of silverware. He expressed, on behalf of all present, the wish that they would enjoy many more years together. A lunch was served at 11:30 and the party broke up following the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

NO COMPLIMENT
Artist: "And do you think the portrait life-like?"
Client: "Yes, I might just as well have had a photograph."

261 Horses Are Already Entered For Spring Sale

A total of 261 entries have been received so far for the Lacombe Farmers' Horse Sale, to be held here next Spring in the Central Alberta Pavilion. A regular flock of entries has been streaming into the office of the secretary, Jesse Fraser, for the past month. It is expected that the 1939 sale will be the largest horse sale ever held west of the Great Lakes, with approximately 1000 horses being sold through the ring.

The dates have been tentatively set for March 14 and 15, with the possibility of a three-day sale if the entries continue to pour in.

Vesper Service Held By Three C.G.I.T. Groups

The congregation of St. Andrew's filled the church on Sunday evening, Dec. 11, for the annual Vesper Service by the three C.G.I.T. groups. The girls entered the church and took their places to the singing of "Silent Night." Betty DeLong officiated. Mildred MacKay read the Scripture lesson, Jessie Layton pronounced the invocation, and the story of "The Candle in the Forest" was beautifully told by Betty Stewart, whose impressive rendering of the story held the interest of every listener.

The Young People's Choir, with assistance from some members of the Senior choir, sang the anthem, "Good King Wenceslas"; solo parts being taken by Donald and Reg. Wilkes.

Candle lighters were Viola McKenzie and Lucille Brooks, and when the girls with their lighted candles surrounded the congregation, all were asked to rise and join with the girls in "Taps" and the singing of "Follow the Leader." During the Vesper service and the song service which preceded it, Mrs. H. Bryd of Edmonton presided at the Hammond organ; she also played the Hallelujah Chorus as the congregation dispersed.

Santa Claus Greeted With Enthusiasm

(Continued from Page One)

Chiswell, Mary Chiswell, Dorothy Chiswell, Bobbie Drader, Tommy Duckworth, Pauline Doherty, Shirley Duckworth, Marilyn Drader, Jackie Decker, Jimmy Duckworth, Joe Drader.

Douglas Fawcett, Janet Ferguson, Carol Fawcett, Patsy Finley, Jean Fawcett, Heather Graham, Dennis Galisk, Helen Graham, Helen Henderson, Marie Hill, Alice Henderson, Jean, Jackie Hill, Luella Hainer, Donald Hill, Betty Heath, Irving Hopkins, R.R.2; Baby Jacobson, Kenneth Hopkins, R.R.2; Murray Hopkins, R.R.2.

Herbert Johansson, Jim Jardine, Olaf Jacobson, Raymond Key, Doreen Key, Betty Kinley, R.R.3; George Kamglessner, Emil Lukat, Gary Laird, Minnie Lukat, Nancy Morter, Jean Caroline Morter, Charles John Morter, Billy McDonald, Emerson Morter, Leo Morter, Jack Newman, Agnes Olson.

Joy Parker, Louise Paisley, Pearl Peterson, Charlie Peterson, Edna Plesied, Dorothy Paisley, Irene Risky, Madeline Risky, Lorraine Robb, Grace Risky, Surrey Risky, Irene Ross, Harvey Shaw, Kenneth Switzer, Arnold Shales, Victor Steer, Robert Schilling, Earl Scilling, Marguerite Steer, Betty Swanson, Billy Steer, Dorothy Switzer, Walter Saue, Clifford Steer and Freda Steer.

BENTLEY
Gerald Anderson, Dorothy Gittins, R.R.2; Joe Gittins, R.R.2; Oscar Kannelin, R.R.2; Aune Kannelin, R.R.2; May Newton, Edwin Peterson, Edward Fogdall, R.R.2; Alex. Skoze, R.R.2; Leonard Shonsberg, Helen Skoze, R.R.2; Carl Vig, R.R.2; Mary L. Wilkins, R.R.2; Harold Wiancko.

MORNINGSIDE
Mary Ann Beranek, Maxine Jones.

JOFFRE
Harry Churchill, Irene Churchill and Ella Ross.

TES—Harvey Carter.

CHIGWELL
Don Graham, Katherine Graham, Lorna Jones, Gordon Jones, Dennis McCallum, David Seaville, Rose Marie Veevers, Alice Veevers.

BENALTO
Elmo E. Johnson, Inez Johnson.

PONOKA
Jack McDonald, R.R.5; Lois McDonald, R.R.5.

CLIVE—George Moore.

BLACKFALDS
Jasper Peck, Barbara Peck, Martin Peck, Donnie Warren.

FORSHEE—Ralph Ralton.

Around the Town

Mr. G. T. Jackson and Mr. S. R. Match attended a meeting of the Order of Telegraphers in Edmonton over last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark, accompanied by their daughter, left last week-end for Calgary to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Freda Simpkins spent last week-end in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lawrence spent Tuesday in Calgary.

Mr. Jack McCaugherty of Calgary spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCaugherty.

Miss A. Peterson and Miss Margaret Ranton returned to town on Monday afternoon after a few days spent in Calgary.

Mr. Horace Seller was a week-end visitor in Edmonton.

Tom Carruthers of Calgary spent last week-end visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. S. R. Mutch was a visitor to Edmonton over last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adamson motored to Edmonton Tuesday for a short visit.

Mrs. J. H. W. Moore was hostess on Monday night to members of her bridge club.

Miss Freda Simpkins entertained the members of her bridge club at the home of Mrs. George Vickers. Misses Margery West and Vivian Pratt won the honors.

E. Officer, Special Passenger Representative of the C.P.R., was a business visitor in Lacombe on Wednesday.

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California Soft Shell Walnuts, Brazil, Almonds and Pecans.

Weddings

WALTERS—WALTERS

St. George's Church, Stettler, was the scene of a quiet wedding on Saturday, Dec. 10, when Miss Doris Edith Walters of Abbotford, B.C., became the bride of Mr. George James Walters of Clive. Rev. T. S. Chapman officiated.

Hammond Electric Organ Purchased

The congregation of St. Andrew's filled the church Sunday night gave its consent to the purchase of the Hammond electric organ for which funds have been raised recently. Rev. A. L. Carr, Gleam, as the girls marched out of the church, during the Vesper service and the song service which preceded it, Mrs. H. Bryd of Edmonton presided at the Hammond organ; she also played the Hallelujah Chorus as the congregation dispersed.

Gift Suggestions!

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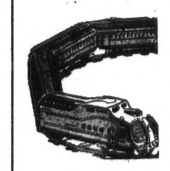
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GAY GIFT WRAPPING 10c and..... 15c
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If you wish to help in this big humanitarian work, see or write us.

WINTER CLASSES START JANUARY 3rd

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TRADE BLDG. - CALGARY

Lacombe Defeated 2-1 In Fast Hockey Game

A hard-fought hockey game ended here Saturday night with Wetaskiwin eking out a 2-1 victory over a fighting Lacombe club that ripped into the Wetaskiwin defence with abandon all through the game. Superior physical condition of the northern city Colonels spelled the difference between victory and defeat for the local club, as the Lacombe Athletics tired in the second period and again in the third. Fast ice greeted the players of both teams. Four hundred witnessed the first game of the local season.

Lacombe opened the scoring midway in the first frame when Irish placed the disc behind Baker in the Colonels' net on a perfect pass from Cliff, who worked in close before passing to Irish. Wetaskiwin sailed in strong after this counter, but Hoppus and Tomalty paired up nicely to ward off all attacks, and Stewart in the Athletics' net turned back all shots.

Wetaskiwin Scores
A few minutes after the opening of the second period, Wetaskiwin, with one man short, caught the Lacombe team up the ice and started a mad race which ended with the puck behind Stewart for Wetaskiwin's first goal. A few minutes later, the Colonels scored a second counter on a nice play which caught the Lacombe defence out of position. Before the period ended, Hoppus let go a hard low drive which had Baker in the Wetaskiwin net, only to have the play called back on an offside.

In the third period, Wetaskiwin had the better of the play as the local boys tired badly. Stewart, in the Lacombe nets, was kept busy kicking out pucks from all angles, but he was given first-class protection by Hoppus and Tomalty.

Forwards Worked Hard
The two Lacombe forward lines of Code, Roberts and Haverstock, and Chapman, Irish and Cliff back-checked ceaselessly throughout the game to keep the play at mid-ice and stop dangerous Colonels rushes before they got under way.

Lineup of Teams
WETASKIWIN—Baker, Kolmetyck, Mullen, Chiliback, Torry, McLaughlin, Jackson, Bergan, Brown, Mozell, Petasky and Kirkstein.

LACOMBE—Stewart, Tomalty, Hoppus, Carr, Chapman, Cliff, Irish, Roberts, Code and Haverstock.

Summary of Goals
First Period—1, Lacombe, Irish from Cliff. No penalties.
Second Period—2, Wetaskiwin, Petasky from Bergan; 3, Wetaskiwin, Mozell from Imatyck. Penalties: Mozell, Petasky.
Third Period—No score. Penalties: Chapman (2), Petasky. Referee: R. White, Wetaskiwin; judge of play, C. Lewis, Lacombe.

RADIO CORNER

by Walter Dales

Let's do some reminiscing about the days when radio was young. . . . way back in '28. Remember how the gang got together with some lucky radio owner . . . hunched close to a horn-shaped loudspeaker . . . waited breathlessly for whistling static to melt into real human voices?

In those days my favorite announcer worked for WLS, Chicago, and if I had ambition then, it was to announce like Jack Holden. . . . But 1933 brought the National Barn Dance, and there wasn't a kid in town whose allegiance didn't switch to that hill-billy expert, Uncle Ezra. . . . It was months after I'd listened to his amusing patter before I learned that old man Ezra was the same Jack Holden—my favorite announcer—doing his act. . . . What a thrill!

I've discovered since that Holden played many parts since those old days when he spied from Chicago. He was with Tom Mix and his Rialto Straight Shooters, 1937-38. . . . Public Hero No. 1, 1937-38, and is currently a member of a writing and production firm at the same time.

But what I'm getting at is this: It is no longer necessary to do any dial twisting to bring in rustic Uncle Ezra. He has been brought to Canada via CBC networks and CJCA listeners hear him each Tuesday and Friday, 8:45 to 9:00 p.m. Here's one who tunes in, and you can say to that, "I've lost a lot of childhood thrills like cracklerjack and yo-yo, but I'm still a pushover for Jack Holden in any part."

Bentley

(From Our Own Correspondent)

BENTLEY. — Dave Wecker, who resides west of Bentley, had the misfortune to fall last week and break his leg. His second broken limb in three months. He had been laid up for about three months, last having had the cast removed from the limb which he had broken previously.

A dance was held at the Community Hall on Friday evening last, sponsored by the Bentley Hockey Club. Mrs. Harold Hopkins was the holder of the lucky ticket.

The Young People's Society of the United Church had charge of the services at the church Sunday evening, Dec. 4. Thirteen of the young people made up the choir and Vernon Miles gave an address on "The Problems of Youth."

Tank Springs Leak
One of the large storage tanks of the Imperial Oil Co. sprung a leak on Friday last and caused the Garries Machine Co., their agents here, some inconvenience. The contents of a partly filled tank were emptied into barrels and that tank filled from the leaking tank, but still there were several hundred gallons lost.

A very successful chicken pie supper and bazaar was held by the Ladies' Aid of the Bentley United Church on Saturday, Dec. 10. A large crowd was present and the ladies added a considerable sum to their treasury.

Skating on Gull Lake has been the order of the day for the past few weeks.

Last Wednesday two young men, George Hunter and Max Gibson, collided while skating. As a result, Mr. Hunter required several stitches to close a gash in his forehead. Mr. Gibson received a bad blow on the head.



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LACOMBE

Blackfalds

(From Our Own Correspondent)

BLACKFALDS. — The Ladies' Aid held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Moss last Thursday and elected the same slate of officers as for last year, namely: President, Mrs. Bills; Secretary, Miss Moss; Treasurer, Mrs. Waghorn. A discussion arose concerning the Christmas tree preparations and the ladies are unwilling with the willing workers to put up the usual bags of candy for the children.

The teachers are going ahead with their preparations for the Christmas concert and it is hoped that an enjoyable evening will result.

The U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. met last Wednesday for their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Ironside. The ladies put on a very enjoyable dinner for the gentlemen, thus helping to spend a very pleasant evening. Both organizations elected the same officials as last year except that Bob Pickering replaces Arthur Wigmore as secretary-treasurer of the U.F.A. local.

Little Wilfred McAllister is having a trying time with his broken arm as he had to be taken back to the hospital last week end to have the arm reset.

The C.G.I.T. groups of Lacombe took charge of the Vesper and candle lighting service in St. Andrew's United Church last Sunday evening, will repeat the service at Blackfalds United Church next Sunday, Dec. 18, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A special invitation is extended to all to come out and join in this beautiful service.

The Churches

CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA

Incumbent: Rev. W. E. Herbert. Licensed Lay Readers: E. H. Jones, Rev. and A. F. Inskip. Organist: Miss Alice Inskip. Assistant Organist: Mrs. N. Glasgow.

Dec. 18—4th Sunday in Advent. 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 7:30 p.m.—Evensong. 7:30 p.m.—Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH

Minister: Rev. A. L. Carr. Organist and Choir Leader: Mrs. R. Warren.

Sunday, December 18

11:00 a.m.—Ladies' School and Adult Bible Class.

2:30 p.m.—The C.G.I.T. groups go to Blackfalds to put on their candle lighting service in the United Church there.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Service. The choir will present their annual Christmas Cantata.

Thursday, December 22

8:00 p.m.—The Annual Sunday School and Christmas Tree and Entertainment.

Friday, December 23

8:00 p.m.—Pre-communion service. Reception of new members.

LACOMBE BAPTIST CHURCH

S. J. Waterman, Minister

Sunday, December 18

Lacombe—11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Clive—2:00 p.m.—Sunday School.

3:00 p.m.—Gospel Service.

Saturday—10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

At all Christian Science churches next Sunday, the subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Is the Universe, including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" One of the Scriptural quotations contained in the Lesson-Sermon is Revelation 4:11, "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created." One of the correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, is: "The true theory of the universe, including man, is not in material history but in spiritual development" (p. 47).

VITAMIN CONTENT OF HALIBUT LIVERS

Science did a good job for Canadian fishermen when it discovered the vitamin content of halibut livers. A few years ago the livers were regarded as only so much waste; last year halibut livers marketed by the Canadian fishing industry were worth \$117,300, roundly stated.

Toads are worth \$20.00 each, annually, as cutworm destroyers, it is estimated.

SAFETY STORES

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Fresh Made—Highest Quality
FAMILY MIXTURE—25c
Purvey's No. 1 quality lb. 25c
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Willard's Best value lb. 25c
FRUIT JELLIES—25c
Purvey's Ass'd. . . lb. 25c
CHRISTMAS SWEETS—25c
L.C.U. Cello Wrapped lb. 25c
CHRISTMAS MIXED—25c
Including Ribbon 2 lbs.

Xmas Nuts

New Crop Nuts in Shells
ALMONDS—Soft Shell . . . 2 lbs. 45c
BRAZILS—Large, washed . . . 19c
FILBERTS—Large, fresh . . . 2 lbs. 45c
PECANS—Large Paper Shell 2 lbs. 45c
WALNUTS—Calif. Paper Shell 2 lbs. 39c
PEANUTS—Fresh Roasted . . . 2 lbs. 19c

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Chigwell

(From Our Own Correspondent)

CHIGWELL.—Mr. and Mrs. E. Lisher and family spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker of Hinton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Willson on Tuesday evening of last week.

The S.S. Women met at the home of Mrs. McCallum on Wednesday, Dec. 7. Sixteen ladies were present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Willson and daughter Joanne spent several days in Calgary last week.

Mr. Evans is busy these days building a new garage.

The program and dance presented in the Turville school on Friday evening was enjoyed by everyone present. The entertainment was put on by the Lakeside young people.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Short and fam-

Lacombe Curlers Win One, Lose One In Play at Mirror

Two rinks from the Lacombe Curling Club travelled to Mirror Saturday night to win one game and lose another in inter-club play. P. W. Pratt, J. S. Fraser, G. Allen and D. McFadden made up one rink and were responsible for the one win chalked up by the Lacombe curlers. The other rink consisted of E. A. Bowering, T. Wilkes, M. G. Cruickshank and R. Warren. It was the first game local curlers have played this year.

lly were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Willson for dinner Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Grimes visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McLeod on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Willson entertained the Cochlin and A. E. Willson family on Sunday.

Sunny Crest Specs

By SPY

SUNNY CREST.—Theodore Fisher attended the district quarterly meetings of the Free Methodist Church in Edmonton last week-end, accompanying Rev. and Mrs. Frank C. Thompson.

Rev. C. E. Thompson brought the message last Sunday at Sunny Crest and Aspen Beach. Special singing was given by students A. Schmidt, A. Weiss and S. Abel. They were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. Fisher.

Church services as usual until Dec. 25. That Sunday being Christmas Day, there will be just the one service at Aspen, at 2:30.

The "Happy Hour" group of ladies met last Wednesday, Dec. 7, at the home of Mrs. A. McNeill. Everyone brought a Christmas gift idea and exchanged cake recipes. The 30-block quilt is nearing completion.

Harness Stolen

Someone helped himself to two sets of harness from the barn of J. Hage. We hope the thief is caught.

Wm. Caine is taking advantage of the fine weather to renovate the inside of his home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. A. Sirols of Pine Lake were visitors last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McNeill.

Miss R. Vandyke was operated on for appendicitis at the Lacombe and District Community Hospital last week.

Skating on the lake has been the best for a good many years. The young folks have been enjoying the moonlight nights.

Forrest Barr has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Deb. Riley of Meadowbrook.

Lakeside

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LAKESED.—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Boys and Glen Furlong and family were week-end visitors in Edmonton.

Mrs. Hubert Craigen and Mrs. Wilkie McIntosh were joint hostesses at a card party held in the Canyon school on Friday night.

First prizes were won by Mrs. H. Peterson, Mrs. Clarence Kishin, Mr. Vauthren and Arthur Bauer.

Consolation prizes went to Mrs. Vauthren, Mrs. Barlow, H. Switzer and Gordon Dobson.

Six tables of players took part and all report having had a very enjoyable evening.

The Recreation Club travelled to Turville on Friday night, where they presented their play again. Although the night was cold, a good crowd turned out and a fine time was reported by all present.

A dance followed the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Spring Valley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright on Wednesday evening.

Social Credit Group Meets.—The monthly meeting of the Social Credit Group was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright last Wednesday. A rather

small crowd was in attendance, due to some sickness in the district. Arthur Bauer was elected president for the coming year.

Mr. Young of Edmonton was in the district last week-end, tuning a number of pianos. The local clubs shared the expense and had the community piano in the school tuned.

Alice Henderson spent a few days with her parents last week. She is working in Edmonton at present.

The monthly meeting of the Social Workers' Club was held at the home of Mrs. Goode last Thursday. A large number attended.

Each member exchanged Christmas gifts with the person whose name she had drawn last month.

Mrs. H. Peterson was elected president for the coming year.

Mrs. Ernie Douglas was re-elected secretary. After the business meeting a lunch was served.

The date of the Christmas concert has been set for Thursday, Dec. 22.

Homer Boyd is again at home after having spent the summer months in B.C.

The prize money from the School Fair has been distributed and amounted to \$45.53.

An excellent lubricant for squeaking doors and other parts of a car is a common way crayon.

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS UNDER THE TAX RECOVERY ACT, 1938

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CROWN, No. 399

Notice is hereby given, that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1938, the Municipal District of Crown, No. 399, will offer for sale by public auction, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1938, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, Lacombe, Alberta, the following parcels of land:

Pl. of Sec.	Sec. Twp. Rge. M.	Pl. of Sec.	Sec. Twp. Rge. M.
N.W. 17	38 25 4	N.E. 5	41 25 4
S.W. 2	39 26 4	N.E. 30	41 25 4
N.W. 10	39 26 4	S.W. 22	41 26 4
S.E. 28	39 26 4	S.W. 12	41 28 4
N.W. 34	39 26 4	N.W. 12	41 28 4
S.E. 7	39 27 4		
Pl. N. 3/4	9 39 27 4		
(82.22 acres)			
(88-E-74)			
N.E. 27	39 27 4		
S.E. 34	39 27 4		
N.E. 34	39 27 4		
S.E. 34	39 27 4		
N.W. 34	39 27 4		
N.E. 5	40 26 4		
N.W. 8	40 26 4		
S.E. 8	40 26 4		
N.W. 8	40 26 4		
S.W. 26	40 26 4		
S.W. 35	40 26 4		

Silver Beach Subdivision Block Plan 4 652 C.L.

Eureka Subdivision Block Plan 4 and 5 F 4069 E.O.

Lakeview Subdivision Block Plan 16 and 17 42 2026 A.J.

New Saratoga Subdivision Block Plan 30 5 1314 P.

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, and subject to a reserve bid and to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title.

Terms cash, unless otherwise arranged.

Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs, at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Lacombe, Alberta, this 24th day of October, 1938.

E. WALTER SIMPSON,

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Ripe Olives Sweet Pickles
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CHOICE OF

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CHOICE OF

Fried Spring Salmon in Butter, Saratoga Chips
Boiled Young Fowl, Supreme Sauce
Breaded Veal Cutlets, Andalusian Sauce
T-Bone Steak, Crisp Celery
Grilled Spring Lamb Chops and Mint Sauce
Pork Steak, Sauteed with Sweet Potato
Fried Fresh Oysters, Strips of Bacon
Chicken Patties with Mushrooms
Roasted Stuffed Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
Cold Roasted Beef Prime Ribs, Yorkshire Pudding
Cold Stewed Chicken and Our Special Salad Mayonnaise

CHOICE OF VEGETABLES

Buttered Peas Creamed Young Carrots
Baked Jacket or Mashed Potatoes French Fried Potatoes

DESSERT

Steamed Christmas Pudding, Brandy Sauce
Hot Mince Pie la Mode
Green Apple Pie and Cheese Almond Cream Pie
Sliced Pineapple Slice Bananas and Cream
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Assorted Nuts Christmas Cakes
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Spruceville

(From Our Own Correspondent)

SPRUCEVILLE.—The Hall Board is sponsoring a novelty dance in the hall on Wednesday, Dec. 28.

The Junior U.F.A. meeting erroneously called for last week will take place at the home of Mrs. Hutchison Saturday, Dec. 17.

Many from this district attended the surprise party held at Bentley in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gibson's silver wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woody and Mr. and Mrs. Swanson dined with the silver bridal pair.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boden were Sunday visitors to Menaik, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hall entertained Mr. and Mrs. English and Mr. and Mrs. Parker last Sunday.

Milton

(From Our Own Correspondent)

MILTON.—Mr. and Mrs. John Lee are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby son, born on Dec. 4.

Geo. Cleveland of Ponoka is spending a few days as the guest of E. P. Cleveland.

Congratulations of the people of this district are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Brower on the birth of a son, born Dec. 9.

The young children of the district are well pleased with their gifts from Santa Claus.

M. O. Rollefson of Medicine Hat was a visitor at the McArthur home on Sunday.

Mirror

(From Our Own Correspondent)

MIRROR.—On Friday evening Mrs. A. MacNair entertained her bridge club at her home. Honors were won by Mrs. J. Naylor and Mrs. A. MacNair.

Allan Price of Englehart, Ont., and Mrs. F. Houson and children of Munson, Alta., were visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. E. Vreeland.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. A. Ray held a bridge party at her home. First prize was won by Mrs. W. G. Walker; consolation prize was won by Mrs. F. Smithers.

R. G. Grieve was the chairman at a non-political meeting in the Grand theatre on Monday evening, Dec. 12, with 230 present. J. Marshall, M.P., and Bruce MacMillan, M.L.A., gave short addresses. Norman Jaques, M.P., spoke on the monetary reform question, stating that it was not the property of any one political party, that our trouble of depression in the last ten years was due to faulty monetary system. Hon. Solon Low stated that they were seriously thinking of putting a credit house in Mirror and explained the workings of credit houses.

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U.S. Explorer Finds African Fossil Algae
CAPE TOWN.—Lincoln Ellsworth, American explorer, during a visit to Cape Town, has found specimens of fossil algae along the sea-front of Table Bay. These fossils are lime deposits of one-celled plant life which existed millions of years ago and which is generally regarded as the earliest form of life on earth.

Mr. Ellsworth states that fossil algae occurred in all ages and there were huge reefs of it in the Grand Canyon in the United States.

Milton

(From Our Own Correspondent)

MILTON.—Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and son and daughter of Joffre spent Sunday of last week at the Dawson home.

The school children are busy practicing for the Christmas concert. The probable date will be Dec. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schlines have moved into their new home, which has just been completed. Guests at the Mytton home on Dec. 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Will, Marge Will and Patrick Healing of Clive, and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Healing, Dick and Frank Healing and Elsie Norish.

The entire countryside is turning out on Sundays and week nights to skate on Burrows' lake. The ice is particularly good.

John Rathje had the misfortune to have several of his trees knocked down recently by a truck, which ran off the road when the driver fell asleep. Too bad to spoil such a nice grove of trees.

Frank Healing paid a visit to Edmonston last week.

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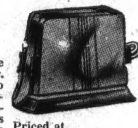
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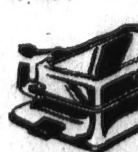
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FOUND, on Highway east of town, box containing Socket Wrenches. Owner can be paid by identifying same and paying for this advertisement—Apply Lacombe Globe. d15p

FOUND, in town shopping district, Lady's Green Wool Glove with embroidery on cuff. Owner can obtain same by paying for this advertisement—Apply Lacombe Globe. d15p

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FOR SALE—Cream Separator, 8-tube Victor Radio, \$40. Take wood, coal—C. R. Hemmaby, Lacombe. d15p

Mirror Resident Burns to Death

(From Our Own Correspondent)

MIRROR—J. D. Sparks, old-age pensioner of this village, was burned to death in a tragedy at his home here last Friday. The house caught fire, and it is believed that Mr. Sparks suffered a heart attack as he was unable to leave the flaming building. His body was found in the cellar of the house.

He leaves to mourn his loss two daughters, Mrs. J. Clarke of Mirror and Mrs. J. Elmer of Bashaw; and one son, J. Sparks of Biggar, Alta.

Pickled beef and pork, cornmeal, butter, cheese, potatoes, flour and linseed meal are some of the agricultural exports from Canada to the Leeward Islands, British West Indies.

Grain and Livestock Prices

Fort William opening track prices: Wheat

No.	Today	Week
No. 1 Northern	61%	60%
No. 2 Northern	58%	57%
No. 3 Northern	55%	52%
No. 4 Northern	40%	45%
1 C.W. Garnet	53%	52%
2 C.W. Garnet	52%	49%
3 C.W. Garnet	51%	48%
1 Mixed	49%	46%

No.	Today	Week
2 C.W.	29%	29%
3 C.W.	26%	26%
Extra Feed	26%	26%
No. 1	25%	25%
No. 2	23%	22%

No.	Today	Week
6 Row	39	42%
2 Row	38	42%
3 C.W.	37	40%
4 C.W.	36	39%

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Select	Hogs	Per cwt.
Bacon Hogs	\$8.15
Butcher Hogs	\$7.65
Fat Steers	dry fed 24 to 25.00	\$5.00
Baby Beef	dry fed 25.00 to 25.50	\$5.00
Grass Steers	\$2.75 to \$4.00
Grass Heifers	\$2.75 to \$3.50
Grass Cows	\$1.50 to \$2.50
Bulls	\$2.00 to \$2.50
Veal	\$3.00 to \$5.00
Lambs	\$6.00 down

Market holding fairly steady.

Temperatures

(Lacombe Exp. Station)

Dec.	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Max.	44	35	28	21	15	10	5
Min.	25	15	8	2	-2	-7	-12

SAME TROUBLES

When Noah sailed the ocean blue, He had his troubles same as you. He drove and drove and drove his ark Until he found a place to park.

Alberta Shorthorn Breeders Meet Here Tuesday Afternoon

A resolution calling for "curtailing of expenses" in the Canadian Shorthorn Breeders' Association was passed at the annual meeting of the Alberta Shorthorn Breeders' Association held in the Oddfellows' Hall here on Tuesday afternoon. The resolution, which will be forwarded to the Dominion body, realized "the necessity of retrenchment without curtailing essential services" and called for a revision of the constitution of the Federal Association asking that "the number of directors be placed on a parity as to provinces in direct proportion to the number of registrations (of animals) in each province."

Members of the Alberta Association from all points of the province discussed affairs of the provincial stock organization. J. W. Durno of Calgary will be retained as fieldman for the association, with the recommendation to the Dominion organization that his territory not be added to.

Seventy-Six Members The secretary-treasurer's report showed a membership of 76 paid up members in the province, with a balance of \$68.00.

Officers were elected as follows:

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C. Rowe Returns To Blacksmith Shop

Claude Rowe, who returned recently from a holiday at the coast, has again taken up business in the blacksmith shop, which he has operated for twenty-four years. T. Akey, who operated his shop during Mr. Rowe's absence, left Monday for Ponoka, where he has entered business.

W.M.S. Meeting Elects Officers

Main feature of the Women's Missionary Society meeting at the home of Mrs. C. F. Danner on Wednesday afternoon was the election of officers for the ensuing year. They are:

Past president, Mrs. U. E. Reeves; president, Mrs. J. E. Love; first vice-president, Mrs. A. L. Carr; second vice-president, Mrs. S. Pillman; third vice-president, Mrs. E. L. Miesner; secretary, Mrs. C. F. Danner; treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Sweet.

Department secretaries are as follows: Christian Stewardship, Mrs. A. L. Carr; Home Helpers, Mrs. George Ramsay; Mrs. W. Dowling and Mrs. P. MacDonald; Supply, Mrs. A. Gilmour; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. G. H. Walston; Press and Temperance, Mrs. C. E. Todd.

Committees—Finance, Mrs. A. L. Carr, Mrs. W. C. Sweet, Mrs. R. L. Ramsay, Mrs. E. L. Miesner, Mrs. J. E. Love and Mrs. U. E. Reeves; Dinners and Teas, Mrs. U. E. Reeves, Mrs. S. Abbott, Mrs. C. F. Danner, Mrs. W. Mitchell and Mrs. G. Wallace. Refreshments, Mrs. S. Abbott.

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